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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF UTAH

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

VS.

JESUS ANTONIO FLORES-VALENZUELA,

Defendant.

INDICTMENT

Count I: 18 U.S.C. § 922(a)(6), False Statements During Attempted Acquisition of a Firearm.

Case: 2:22-cr-00056

Assigned To : Parrish, Jill N. Assign. Date : 2/16/2022

The Grand Jury Charges:

COUNT I

18 U.S.C. § 922(a)(6)

(False Statements During Attempted Acquisition of a Firearm)

On or about January 15, 2022, in the District of Utah,

JESUS ANTONIO FLORES-VALENZUELA,

defendant herein, in connection with the attempted acquisition of a firearm, to wit: a Radical Arms RF-15 5.56 rifle, from a licensed firearm dealer within the meaning of Chapter 44, Title 18, United States Code, knowingly made false and fictitious written statements intended and likely to deceive the firearm dealer with respect to any fact material to the lawfulness of such acquisition of the firearm, in that he falsely answered

"no" on ATF form 4473 asking (1) whether he had ever been convicted in any court of a misdemeanor crime of domestic violence, and (2) whether he was subject to a court order restraining him from harassing, stalking, or threatening an intimate partner, and, as he then knew, his answers were untrue; all in violation of 18 U.S.C. § 922(a)(6), and punishable pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 924(a)(2).

A TRUE BILL:

FOREPERSON OF GRAND JURY

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